

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

Notice of Intent to Rule on Request to Release Airport Property at the South Texas Regional Airport at Hondo (formerly Hondo Municipal Airport), Hondo, Texas.

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of Request to Release Airport Property

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invite public comment on the release of land at the South Texas Regional Airport at Hondo under the provisions of Section 125 of the Wendell H. Ford Aviation Investment Reform Act for the 21st Century (AIR 21).

DATES: Comments must be received on or before (from 30 days of the posting of this Federal Register Notice).

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered to the FAA at the following address:

Mr. Mike Nicely, Manager

Federal Aviation Administration

Southwest Region, Airports Division

Texas Airports Development Office, ASW-650

Fort Worth, Texas 76137

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to the Mr. Robert Herrera, City Manager, at the following address:

1600 Avenue M

Hondo, Texas 78861

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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The request to release property may be reviewed in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA invites public comment on the request to release

property at the South Texas Regional Airport at Hondo under the provisions of the AIR 21.

The following is a brief overview of the request:

The City of Hondo requests the release of 119.639 acres of non-aeronautical airport property. The

land was acquired by Deed without Warranty from the United States on July 16, 1948. The property

to be released will be sold to allow for further commercial and light industrial development along the

Union Pacific Railroad corridor which generally parallels US Highway 90 along the south boundary

of the airport.

Any person may inspect the request in person at the FAA office listed above under "FOR FURTHER

INFORMATION CONTACT."

In addition, any person may, upon request, inspect the application, notice and other documents

relevant to the application in person at the South Texas Regional Airport at Hondo, telephone number

(830) 426-3378.

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Manager, Airports Division

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